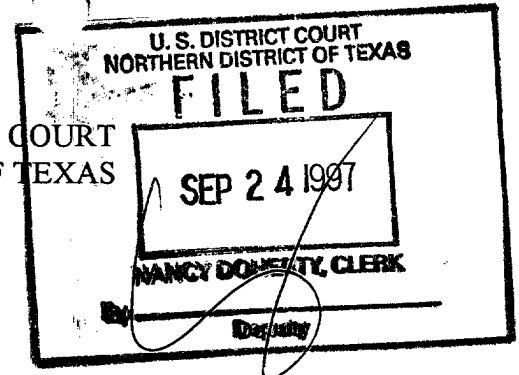


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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION



OMNITRITION INTERNATIONAL, INC., §

Plaintiff, §

VS. §

OMNILIFE USA, INC., et al., §

Defendants. §

§ Civil Action No. 3:96-CV-3313-D

ORDER OF REFERENCE

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b), plaintiffs' September 22, 1997 motion to compel is REFERRED to United States Magistrate Judge William F. Sanderson, Jr. for determination. He may conduct a hearing if he determines that a hearing is necessary.

This order of reference also prospectively refers all procedural motions (e.g., to modify briefing limitations, to supplement a motion, or for an expedited hearing) hereafter filed by a party who supports or opposes the referred motion, and that relate to the United States Magistrate Judge's resolution of the motion.

SO ORDERED.

September 24, 1997.

Sidney A. Fitzwater

SIDNEY A. FITZWATER
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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